

**U.S. District Court  
Northern District of Georgia (Atlanta)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-00762-SCJ**

McGinnis v. Atlanta VBA Regional Office  
Assigned to: Judge Steve C. Jones  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 02/20/2018  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

**Plaintiff****Danny McGinnis**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
02/20/2018	<u>1</u>	APPLICATION for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis by Danny McGinnis. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Complaint, # <u>2</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(eop) (Entered: 02/22/2018)
02/22/2018		Submission of Complaint for Review; w/in <u>1</u> APPLICATION for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis, submitted to District Judge Orinda D. Evans. (eop) (Entered: 02/22/2018)
02/22/2018		Submission of <u>1</u> APPLICATION for Leave to Proceed in Forma Pauperis, submitted to Magistrate Judge Justin S Anand. (eop) (Entered: 02/22/2018)
02/23/2018	<u>2</u>	REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION that the Plaintiff's <u>1</u> APPLICATION for Leave to Proceed in forma pauperis be DENIED. If the District Court adopts this recommendation, the undersigned further RECOMMENDS that the Plaintiff be advised that he must pay the filing fee within (14) days of the District Court's Order denying the <u>1</u> Application. If Plaintiff fails to do so, this action may be dismissed for failure to comply with an Order of the Court. Signed by Magistrate Judge Justin S Anand on 2/23/2018. (sap) (Entered: 02/23/2018)
02/23/2018	<u>3</u>	ORDER for Service of <u>2</u> Report and Recommendation by Magistrate Judge Justin S Anand. Each party may file written objections to the Report & Recommendation within 14 days of service. If no objections are filed, the Report & Recommendation may be adopted as the opinion and order of the District Court. Signed by Magistrate Judge Justin S Anand on 2/23/2018. (sap) (Entered: 02/23/2018)

02/23/2018		Clerks Certificate of Mailing as to Danny McGinnis re <u>2</u> REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION and <u>3</u> Order for Service of Report and Recommendation. Notice of street name change for the Atlanta courthouse included. (sap) (Entered: 02/23/2018)
03/06/2018	<u>4</u>	ORDER REASSIGNING CASE. Case reassigned to Judge Steve C Jones for all further proceedings. Judge Orinda D. Evans no longer assigned to case. <b>NOTICE TO ALL COUNSEL OF RECORD: The Judge designation in the civil action number assigned to this case has been changed to 1:18-cv-00762-SCJ.</b> Please make note of this change in order to facilitate the docketing of pleadings in this case. Signed by Judge Orinda D. Evans on 3/5/2018. (sap) (Entered: 03/06/2018)
03/06/2018		Clerks Certificate of Mailing as to Danny McGinnis re <u>4</u> Order Reassigning Case. Notice of street name change for the Atlanta courthouse included. (sap) (Entered: 03/06/2018)
03/07/2018		Filing Fee Paid: \$ 400.00, receipt number 100703. (rjs) (Entered: 03/07/2018)
03/07/2018		Submission of Fee Payment Received and <u>2</u> REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION re <u>1</u> APPLICATION for Leave to Proceed in forma pauperis to District Judge Steve C Jones. (rjs) (Entered: 03/07/2018)
03/12/2018	<u>5</u>	ORDER adopting <u>2</u> Report and Recommendations as the order of the Court to the extent not mooted by the payment of the filing fee. The <u>1</u> in forma pauperis application is DENIED. The proper fee having now been paid, the Clerk is DIRECTED to file Plaintiff's Complaint on the public docket. Signed by Judge Steve C Jones on 3/12/2018. (rjs) (Entered: 03/12/2018)
03/12/2018	<u>6</u>	COMPLAINT filed by Danny McGinnis. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(rjs) Please visit our website at <a href="http://www.gand.uscourts.gov/commonly-used-forms">http://www.gand.uscourts.gov/commonly-used-forms</a> to obtain Pretrial Instructions which includes the Consent To Proceed Before U.S. Magistrate form. (Entered: 03/12/2018)
03/12/2018		Clerks Certificate of Mailing as to Danny McGinnis re <u>5</u> Order. (rjs) (Entered: 03/12/2018)
03/27/2018	<u>7</u>	Summons Issued as to Patrick Zondervan. (rjs) (Entered: 03/27/2018)
03/27/2018	<u>8</u>	Summons Issued as to Atlanta VBA Regional Office. (rjs) (Entered: 03/27/2018)
04/24/2018	<u>9</u>	Return of Service Executed by Danny McGinnis as to Defendants Atlanta VBA Regional Office and Patrick Zondervan. (rjs) (Entered: 04/25/2018)
07/11/2018	<u>10</u>	MOTION for Clerks Entry of Default by Danny McGinnis. (rjs) (Entered: 07/12/2018)
07/12/2018		Submission of <u>10</u> MOTION for Clerks Entry of Default to District Judge Steve C. Jones. (rjs) (Entered: 07/12/2018)
07/13/2018	<u>11</u>	RESPONSE in Opposition re <u>10</u> MOTION for Clerks Entry of Default filed by Atlanta VBA Regional Office, Patrick Zondervan. (Cooper, Lisa) (Entered: 07/13/2018)
10/05/2018	<u>12</u>	MOTION to Dismiss with Brief In Support by Atlanta VBA Regional Office, Patrick Zondervan. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Brief)(Cooper, Lisa) (Entered: 10/05/2018)
10/25/2018		Submission of <u>12</u> MOTION to Dismiss to District Judge Steve C. Jones. (jkl) (Entered: 10/25/2018)
11/15/2018	<u>13</u>	ORDER: Plaintiff's <u>10</u> Motion for Entry of Default is DENIED and Defendants' <u>12</u> Motion to Dismiss is DENIED. Plaintiff is ORDERED to perfect service on the Attorney General and the United States Attorney for the Northern District of Georgia (in accordance with the specific requirements of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(i)) on or before, December 16, 2018. Plaintiff shall also file proof of service with the Clerk of Court on or before December 16, 2018. Failure to perfect service or otherwise comply with this Court's order may result in Plaintiff's case being dismissed without prejudice. Signed by Judge Steve C. Jones on 11/15/2018. (rjs) (Entered: 11/15/2018)
11/15/2018		Clerk's Certificate of Mailing as to Danny McGinnis re <u>13</u> Order. (rjs) (Entered: 11/15/2018)

12/18/2018		Submission of <u>13</u> Order to District Judge Steve C. Jones. (rjs) (Entered: 12/18/2018)
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